

347—120.4(88,89B) Labels and other forms of warning. Procedures for labels and other forms of warnings are at 347—110.4(88,89B).

120.4(1) Except as provided in subrules 120.4(2) and 120.4(3), the employer shall ensure that each container of hazardous chemicals in the workplace is labeled, tagged, or marked with the following information:

- a.* Identity of the hazardous chemical(s) contained therein, and
- b.* Appropriate hazard warnings.

120.4(2) The employer may use signs, placards, process sheets, batch tickets, operating procedures, or other such written materials in lieu of affixing labels to individual stationary process containers, as long as the alternative method identifies the containers to which it is applicable and conveys the information required by subrule 120.4(1) to be on a label. The written materials shall be readily accessible to the employees in their work area throughout each work shift.

120.4(3) The employer is not required to label portable containers into which hazardous chemicals are transferred from labeled containers, and which are intended only for the immediate use of the employee who performs the transfer.

120.4(4) The employer shall not remove or deface existing labels on incoming containers of hazardous chemicals, unless the container is immediately marked with the required information.

120.4(5) The employer shall ensure that labels or other forms of warning are legible, in English, and prominently displayed on the container, or readily available in the work area throughout each work shift. Employers having employees who speak other languages may add the information in their language to the material presented, as long as the information is presented in English as well.